To the Right Honourable the LORD MAYOR, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of *LONDON*, in Common Council Aſſembled.

WE whoſe Names are Subſcribed in Obedience to an Order of this Honourable Court, bearing Date the Third day of *February* 1690. appointing us to be a Committee to conſider of the Petition of ſeveral Orphans, and to receive the Propoſals of the ſaid Petitioners, or any others, and to Report our Opinions concerning the ſame to this Honourable Court, do humbly Certifie, That we have had ſeveral Meetings, and have publiſhed the General Day of our Meeting (*Thurſday* in the Afternoon) in ſeveral Gazetts, and have received all ſuch Propoſals as were by any Perſons tendred to us; and have alſo Conſidered among our ſelves of ſeveral Matters not propoſed from abroad, which may contribute towards the Payment of the Orphans Debts; and have had laid before us the ſeveral Particulars of the Cities Receipts, and Diſburſments: And do think it reaſonable, as well for the honour of this City, as for the ſatisfaction of this Honourable Court, and of the ſaid Orphans, humbly to offer our Opinions as follow, (*viz.*)

That the Revenues of the Cities Lands formerly agreed on, with the Improved value thereof amounting at *per Annum*—— —— } —3000 *l.*
That the Revenue of the Markets being valued at———————3000 *l.*
The Farm of *Garbling* and *Packing* Lett at———————1500 *l.*
The *Aqueducts* and Improvements thereof valued———————500 *l.*

Total——5000 *p.an*

Be Appropriated and Settled free of all Charges by Act of Common Council, towards Payment of Four Pounds *per Cent. per Annum* for the preſent Relief of the Orphans (the Committee having taken great care to find out Ways for the Support of the Government) And we humbly Propoſe, That this Fund be offered to be Confirmed in Parliament, and that Application be made to that moſt Honourable Court for ſuch further Aid, as they in their great Wiſdom ſhall think fit; whereby a Fund of Four and twenty Thouſand Pounds *per Annum* may be Veſted in the Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of *London*, for Satisfaction of the Debts due to the preſent Orphans, and as a future Security for all Orphans Money that hereafter ſhall be paid into the Chamber of *London*: All which, notwithſtanding, we humbly ſubmit to the better judgment of this Honourable Court. *Dated the Eleventh day of* May, *MDCXCI.*

Sir *William Turner*,
Sir *William Pritchard*,
Sir *John Moore*,
Sir *Samuel Daſhwood*,
} Aldermen.

Sir *Thomas Vernon*,
Sir *Ralph Box*,
Arthur Barron,
John Morris,
Francis Griffith,
John Johnſon,
John Midgley,
Thomas Blackmore,
} Commoners.